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PRESERVING THE NEW-BONEFORMING

EFFECT OF GROWTH-STIMULATING

SUBSTANCES FOR AN IMPLANT PRODUCT

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT** 

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

This in response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 31, 2008.

No amendments have been made to the claims in this paper.

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